



THE PRINCESS AND THE FROG



NEW ORLEANS, ABOUT A
HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

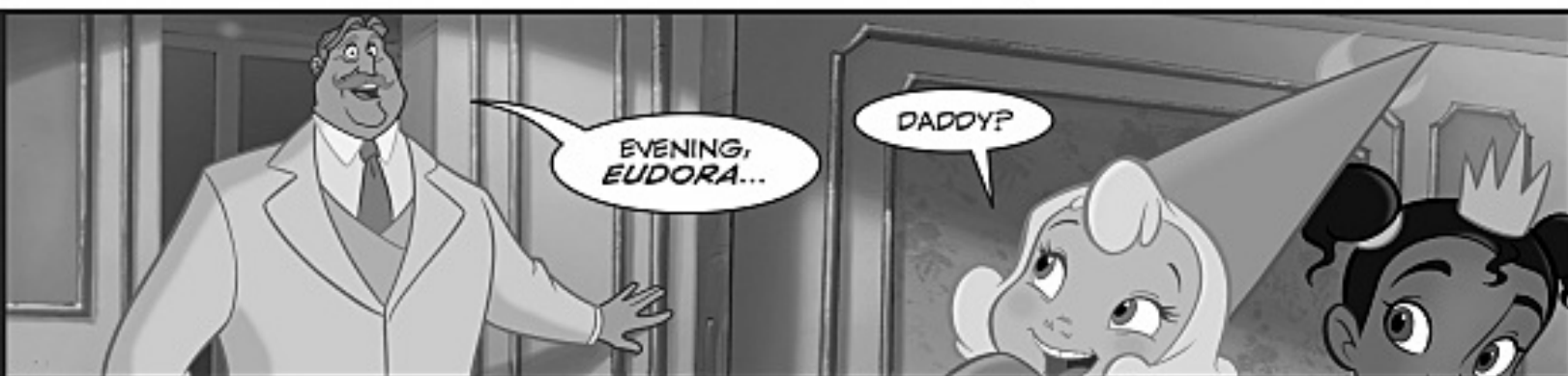
THE EVENING STAR IS SHINING
BRIGHT, AND ANYTHING CAN
HAPPEN...

"OH, PLEASE, DEAR
PRINCESS," SAID THE
FROG... "ONLY A KISS
FROM YOU CAN BREAK
THIS TERRIBLE SPELL
INFLECTED ON ME BY
A WICKED WITCH!"



OH, READ IT
AGAIN!

!



TIANA'S HOME IS IN THE 9TH WARD. A COZY PLACE FULL OF WARMTH, CHARM AND CHARACTER.

THERE SHE LEARNS HOW TO COOK WITH HER FATHER, WHO TEACHES HER THAT FOOD HELPS BRING FAMILY AND FRIENDS TOGETHER.

THEY DREAM OF ONE DAY OWNING *THEIR OWN* MARVELOUS *RESTAURANT*.

MMM... THIS IS THE BEST GUMBO I'VE EVER TASTED, TIANA!

EUDORA, OUR LITTLE GIRL HAS A GIFT!

LATER...

WHEN I OPEN UP MY OWN RESTAURANT, PEOPLE ARE GONNA LINE UP TO GET A TASTE OF MY FOOD!

OUR FOOD!

THAT'S RIGHT, BABY... OUR FOOD!

DADDY, LOOK! IF YOU MAKE A WISH ON THE EVENING STAR, IT'S SURE TO COME TRUE...

YES... BUT YOU'VE GOT TO HELP IT ALONG WITH SOME OF YOUR OWN!





PROMISE YOUR DADDY ONE THING, THAT YOU'LL NEVER LOSE SIGHT OF WHAT'S REALLY IMPORTANT!

TIANA GOES TO BED, THINKING THAT ONE DAY HER WISH WILL COME TRUE...



14 YEARS LATER:
WORKING TWO JOBS AND GETTING CLOSER TO HER GOAL, TIANA HAS A FEW MINUTES TO CHANGE IN BETWEEN WORK SHIFTS...



DON'T WORRY, DADDY. WE'LL BE THERE SOON...



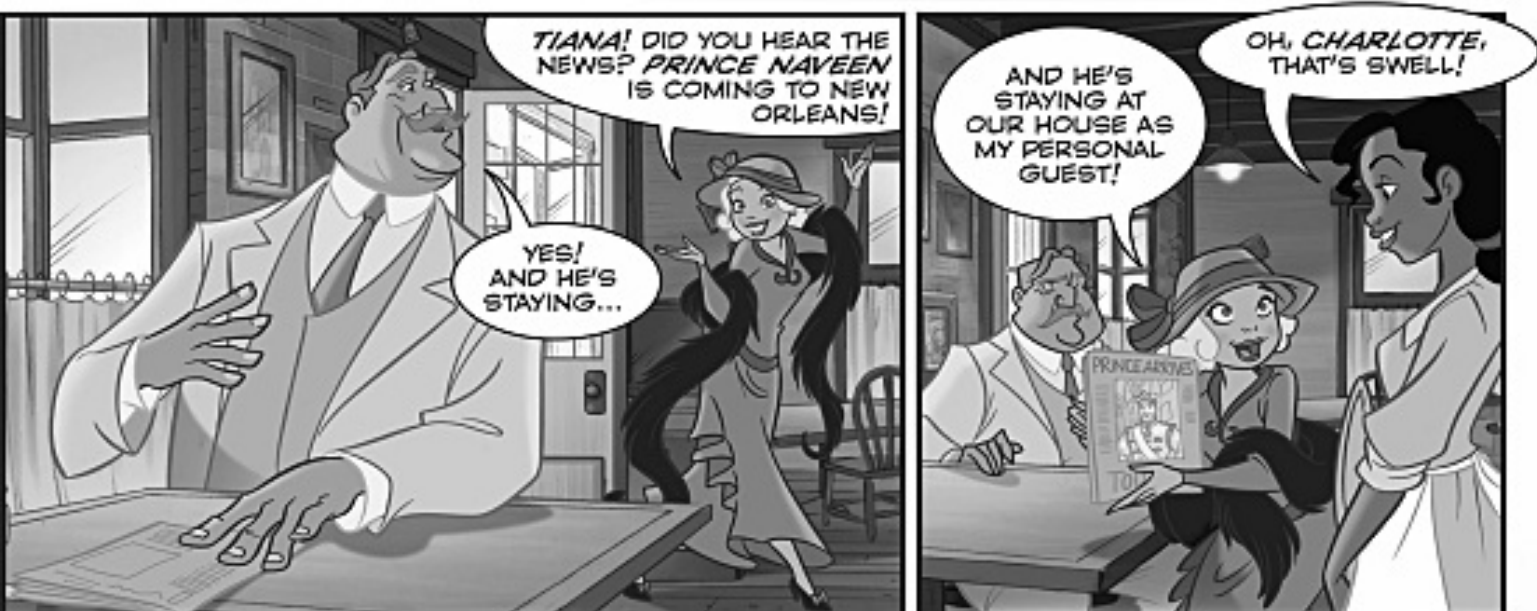
"...WITH SOME HARD WORK!"



HEY, TIANA! WE'RE ALL GOING DANCING! CARE TO JOIN US?



NO, THANKS, I'M WORKING A DOUBLE SHIFT TONIGHT.



TONIGHT MY PRINCE IS
COMING... AND I SURE WON'T
LET HIM GO!

THAT AFTERNOON,
TIANA GOES TO BUY
HER RESTAURANT!

EVERYTHING
LOOKS PEACHY KEEN,
MR. FENNER...

FENNER
BROS.
REALTY
FOR SALE

WE'LL HAVE ALL
THE PAPERS READY TO SIGN
AFTER MARDI GRAS!

WHY DON'T
I SIGN THEM
TONIGHT, WHEN
I SEE YOU AT
THE LABOUFF'S
MASQUERADE
BALL?

YOU
DRIVE A HARD
BARGAIN,
TIANA!

TABLE FOR
ONE, PLEASE!
I BROUGHT
A LITTLE
SOMETHING
TO GET YOU
STARTED.

MAMA,
DADDY'S GUMBO
POT!

I KNOW.
I MISS HIM
TOO.

NOW,
LET'S GO
TAKE A
LOOK.

OH, LOOK AT IT!
DOESN'T IT JUST
MAKE YOU WANT
TO CRY?

YEEESSS...



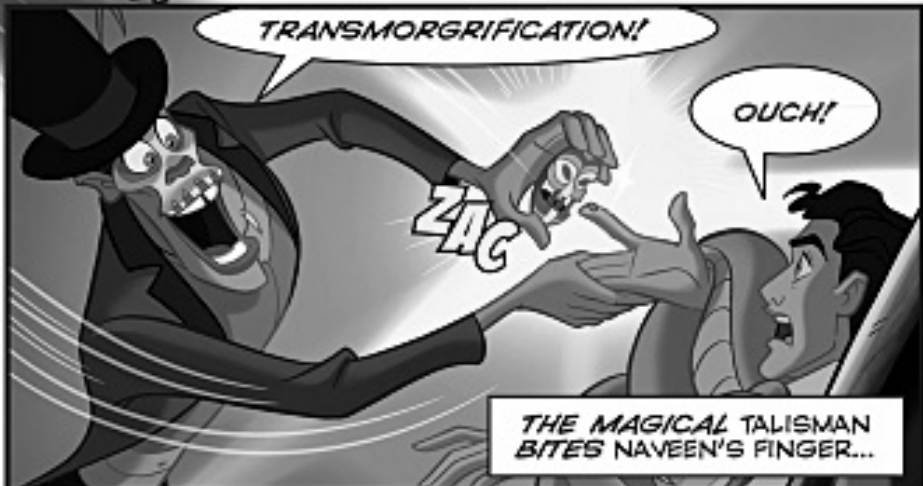








FACILIER GRABS
A TALISMAN...



THAT EVENING,
AT THE LABOUFF
ESTATE...

LADIES AND
GENTLEMEN, HIS ROYAL
HIGHNESS, PRINCE
NAVEEN!

CHARLOTTE
RACES DOWN
THE STAIRS
AND STARTS
DANCING
WITH THE PRINCE.

WOW!

MARVELOUS
PARTY!

OH!
GOOD EVENING, MR.
FENNER AND... MR.
FENNER!

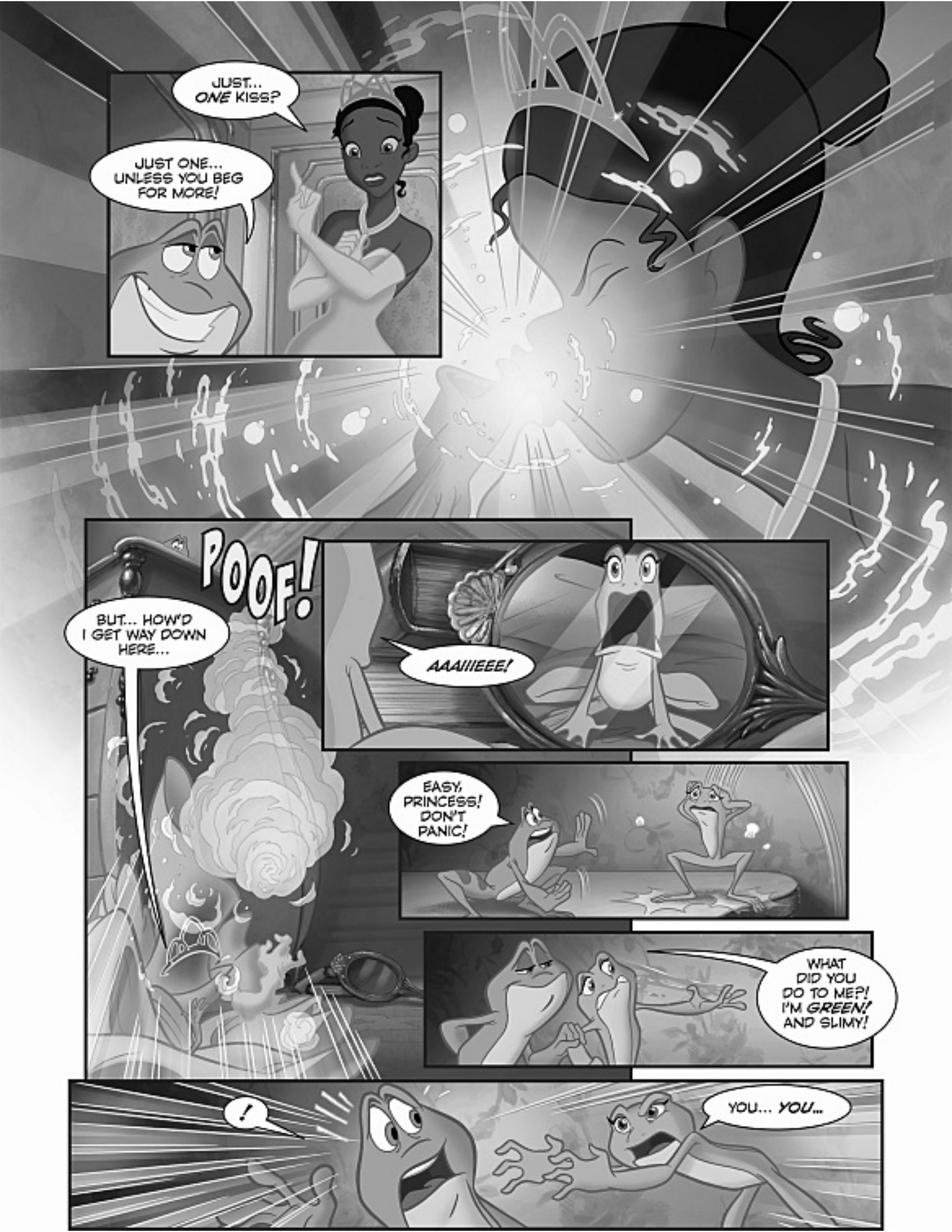


CHARLOTTE HELPS TIANA
CHANGE HER COSTUME... BUT
WHAT ABOUT HER DREAMS?
MAYBE THE *EVENING STAR*
WILL HELP HER?

TIANA IS USED
TO WORKING HARD,
NOT RELYING ON
LUCK, BUT...







JUST...
ONE KISS?

JUST ONE...
UNLESS YOU BEG
FOR MORE!

BUT... HOW'D
I GET WAY DOWN
HERE...

POOF!

AAAIIIEEE!

EASY,
PRINCESS!
DON'T
PANIC!

WHAT
DID YOU
DO TO ME?!
I'M GREEN!
AND SLIMY!

YOU... YOU...





IN THE MEANTIME, FACILIER
ALREADY KNOWS WHAT'S
HAPPENED!

YOU LET
THE PRINCE
GO?

YES...



I CAN'T GO
THROUGH WITH
THIS!



YOU WEAR
THIS *GHASTLY*
THING!

CAREFUL WITH
THAT!

FUN FACT
ABOUT MAGIC, LARRY...
I CAN'T CONJURE
A THING FOR
MYSELF!

BESIDES,
THE REAL POWER
IN THIS WORLD AIN'T
MAGIC, IT'S *MONEY*.
BUCKETS
OF IT!

MMM...

AREN'T
YOU TIRED OF
LIVING ON THE
MARGINS?

YES,
I AM!

SO, ALL YOU'VE GOT TO DO
IS MARRY BIG DADDY'S LITTLE
PRINCESS, CHARLOTTE!

AND...

POOF

... AND
WE'LL BE
SPLITTING THAT
JUICY LABOUFF
FORTUNE DOWN
THE MIDDLE...
60/40, LIKE
I SAID!

BUT...
WHAT ABOUT
NAVEEN?

A MINOR
BUMP
IN THE
ROAD...

... SO
LONG AS
WE'VE GOT
YOUR BOSS'
BLOOD IN
THIS!

YES!

IN THE MEANTIME...

BAD MAGIC?
THIS ALL HAPPENED
BECAUSE YOU WERE
MESSING WITH
DR. FACILIER?

HE WAS VERY
CHARISMATIC!

THE ONLY
WAY TO GET WHAT
YOU WANT IS
THROUGH
HARD WORK!

HARD
WORK?

WHY WOULD A
PRINCESS NEED TO
WORK HARD?

I'M NOT A
PRINCESS! I'M A
WAITRESS!

A WAITRESS?
NO WONDER
THE KISS DIDN'T
WORK! YOU LIED
TO ME!

I NEVER
SAID I WAS A
PRINCESS!

BUT YOU...
YOU WERE WEARING A
CROWN!

IT WAS
A COSTUME
PARTY!

OH, YEAH?
WELL, BY THE WAY,
I AM COMPLETELY
BROKE! HA HA!
HA...

AAAAAH!

POP!
POP
POP

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SPLASH!!!

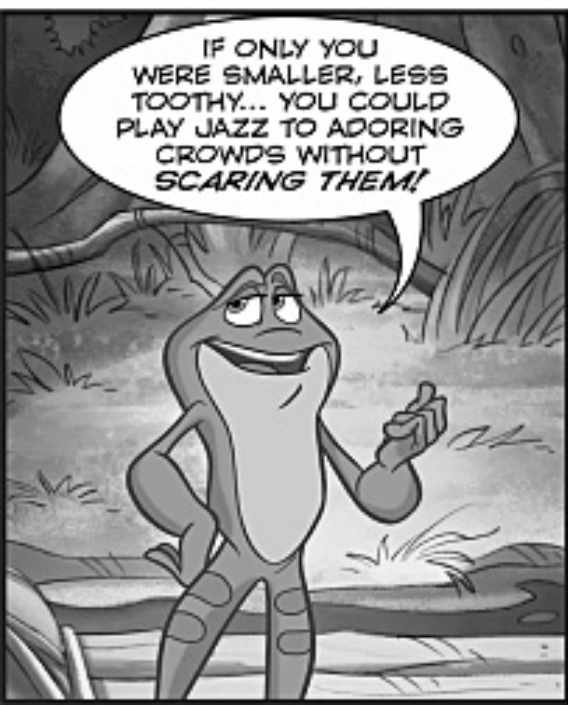


THE NEXT MORNING, TIANA AND NAVEEN BEGIN TO TRAVEL ACROSS THE BAYOU...

A LITTLE MUSIC TO PADDLE BY?

I COULD USE A LITTLE HELP!





MEANWHILE
LAWRENCE,
THE *FAKE*
NAVEEN, IS
COURTING
CHARLOTTE,
BUT...

DEAR MISS
CHARLOTTE, I...

SPROING

BUT...
WHAT'S
HAPPENING
TO YOUR...
EAR?

WHAT?

OH! THOSE
MOSQUITOS...

THE TALISMAN
IS RUNNING
OUT OF MAGIC!
LAWRENCE HAS
TO HURRY UP!

BOLING!

ERR... WOULD
YOU DO ME
THE HONOR OF
BECOMING...

... *PRINCESS*
OF MALDONIA?

YES!
I WILL MARRY
YOU!

OH,
THERE IS
SO MUCH
TO PLAN!
THE GUEST
LIST! THE
DRESS...

!

W-WHAT
DO WE DO
NOW?

BECAUSE
YOU LET OUR
FROGGY
PRINCE
GO...

... I HAVE TO
ASK FOR HELP FROM
MY FRIENDS ON THE
OTHER SIDE!

IN FACT,
BACK IN
FACILIER'S
SHOP...

FRIENDS!

I'LL
SOON HAVE
THE ENTIRE
CITY...

... IN THE
PALM OF MY
HAND!

AND YOU'LL
HAVE ALL THE
WAYWARD SOULS YOUR
DARK LITTLE HEARTS
DESIRE!

RUMBLE

BUT WE NEED
TO FIND OURSELVES
A FROG! SEARCH
EVERYWHERE!

"AND BRING HIM
TO ME, ALIVE!"

IN THE MEANTIME, TIANA AND NAVEEN GOT HUNGRY. BUT, BY TRYING TO CATCH THE SAME BUG, THEY GOT STUCK IN A... TIGHT SITUATION...

WHY DID YOU TRY TO CATCH THAT INSECT?

WHY DID YOU? NOW WE'RE STUCK TOGETHER!

HE, HE! I THINK I MAY BE OF SOME HELP...

HANG ON... I'M JUST GOING TO GIVE A LITTLE TWIST HERE...

**S
N
A
P!**

MY NAME IS RAYMOND, BUT EVERYBODY CALLS ME RAY!

YOU MUST BE NEW AROUND HERE, HUH?

ACTUALLY...

SPLASH

WE WERE ON OUR WAY TO MAMA ODIE'S, BECAUSE WE...

WHOA, WHOA! YOU'RE HEADED THE WRONG DIRECTIONAL!

... HEM... I WAS CONFUSED BY THE GEOGRAPHY, THE C-CHOREOGRAPHY...

WELL, ME AND MY RELATIONALS WILL HELP SHOW YOU THE WAY!

THE FIREFLIES LIGHT THE WAY THROUGH THE BAYOU...



... AND SOON THEY
ARRIVE NEAR MAMA
ODIE'S HOUSE!

ADIEU, RAY!

ADIEU,
MY FAMILY! TELL
ANGELA "BON
CHANCE"!

IS THAT YOUR
GIRL?

NO! MY GIRL IS
EVANGELINE!

SHE'S GLOWING
RIGHT UP THERE IN
FRONT OF YOU!

YES, RAY'S
EVANGELINE
IS... *THE*
EVENING
STAR!

SHHH!

SO FAR
ABOVE ME, YET
I KNOW HER HEART
BELONGS ONLY
TO ME!

JE T'ADORE...

I ADORE
YOU... ERR... I'M JUST
TRANSLATING!

YOU ARE
MY QUEEN
OF THE
NIIIGHT...



COULD SOMETHING BE GROWING BETWEEN TIANA AND NAVEEN?





NOT BAD FOR
A HUNDRED-AND-NINETY-
SEVEN-YEAR-OLD
BLIND LADY!



NOW, WHICH
ONE OF YOU HAS
BEEN MESSING WITH
THE SHADOWY
VILLAIN?

LATER, INSIDE
MAMA ODIE'S
GALLEY...

WE WANT
TO BECOME HUMAN
AGAIN, MAMA
ODIE!

BUT DO
YOU KNOW WHAT
YOU *NEED*? YOU
LISTEN, NOW...

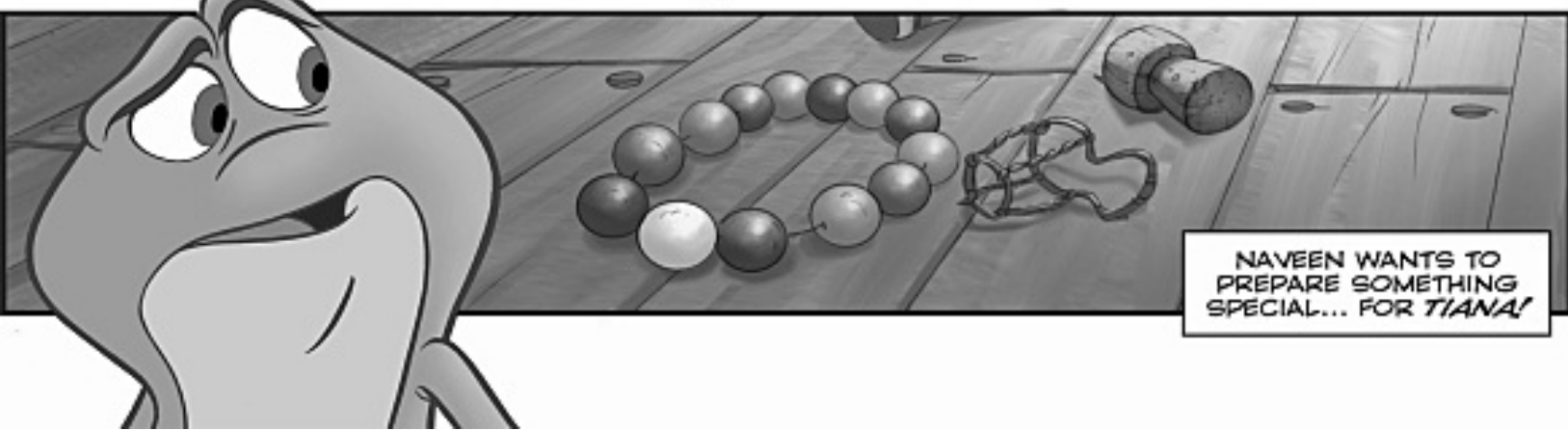
THIS FROGGY
USED TO BE A RICH
BOY AND WANTS TO
BE RICH AGAIN!



BUT MONEY
HASN'T GOT HEART!
MAYBE *LOVE* WILL
GRANT YOU PEACE
OF MIND!







SOMETHING LIKE... A
BEAUTIFUL RING!

OH, EVANGELINE...
WHY CAN'T I JUST
LOOK TIANA IN THE
EYE AND SAY...

... I LOVE
YOU!

CAP, ARE YOU MAKING
GOO GOO EYES
AT MY GIRL?

NO, RAY!
I'M NOT IN
LOVE WITH
EVANGELINE! I'M
IN LOVE WITH
TIANA!

OH, I KNEW
IT! I CAN'T WAIT
TO TELL HER...

NO!
I MUST TELL HER
ALONE!

UH!
RIGHT! YOU
RASCAL...

BUT WHEN THAT **MAGIC MOMENT** ARRIVES, TIANA'S ATTENTION IS DRAWN SOMEWHERE ELSE...

THERE IT IS!

YOUR RESTAURANT?

CAN'T YOU PICTURE IT? ALL LIT UP...

... BUT IF I DON'T DELIVER THAT MONEY **FIRST THING** TOMORROW, I'LL LOSE THIS PLACE FOREVER...

TOMORROW?

NAVEEN REALIZES HE MUST MARRY CHARLOTTE TO FULFILL TIANA'S DREAM.

TIANA, I LOVE... THE WAY YOU LIGHT UP WHEN YOU TALK ABOUT YOUR DREAM!

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ALL ASHORE!

I'LL... UH... I'LL GO ROUND UP THE BOYS!



MEANWHILE...



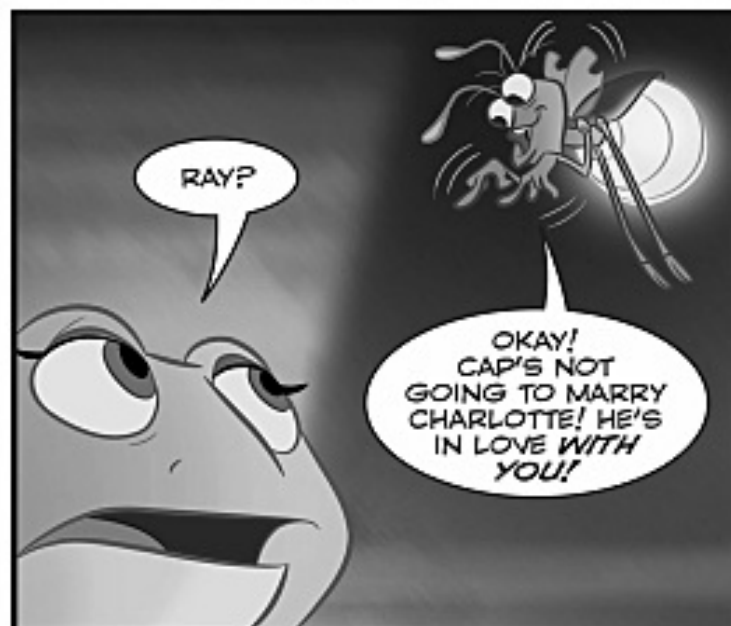
RAY,
HAVE YOU SEEN
NAVEEN?

LOOK
AT YOU... WHERE'S
THE RING?



WHAT
ARE YOU TALKING
ABOUT?

WELL, IF
CAP DIDN'T SAY
ANYTHING, I'M NOT
GOING TO SAY
ANYTHING!



RAY?

OKAY!
CAP'S NOT
GOING TO MARRY
CHARLOTTE! HE'S
IN LOVE WITH
YOU!



UH-OH...
I SAID TOO
MUCH!

YOU SAID
JUST ENOUGH,
RAY!

BUT WHEN TIANA FINDS HIM... NAVEEN IS ABOUT TO MARRY CHARLOTTE! AND SHE DOESN'T KNOW HE'S NOT THE TRUE PRINCE!



OH, NO!
HOW CAN YOU STILL
BE A FROG? MAMA
ODIE SAID...



TIANA, WAIT!
WHERE ARE YOU
GOING?



SHE RUNS AWAY,
DEVASTATED, TO THE
CEMETERY...

IT'S
TOO LATE...



THIS CAN'T BE
RIGHT! I'LL GO
BACK AND FIND
THE TRUTH!

RAY GETS BACK AND SEES
SOMETHING FUNNY, NEAR
LAWRENCE! A *MOVING* BOX!

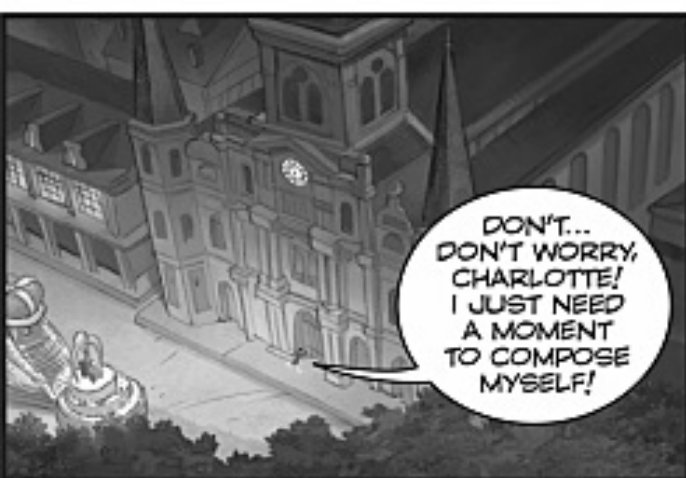


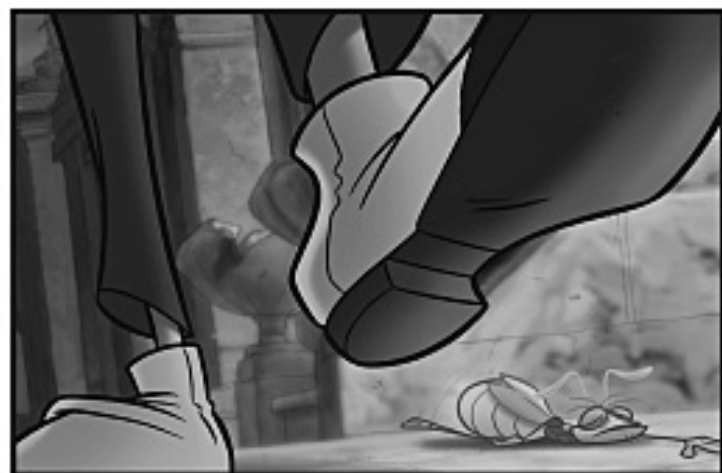
IS
THAT YOU,
CAPP?



RAY!
GET ME OUT OF
THIS BOX!

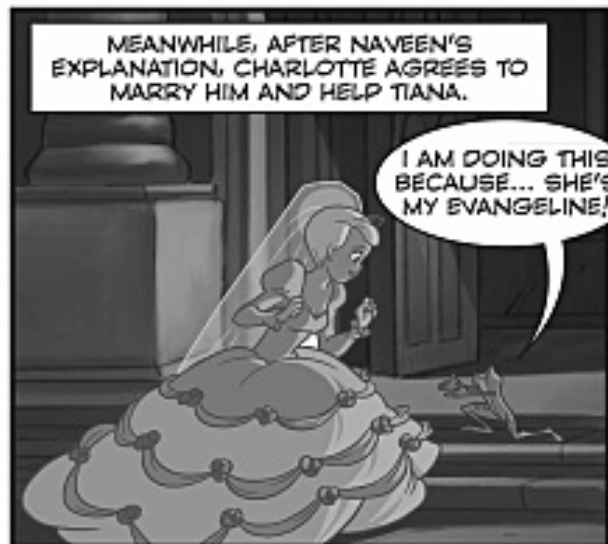




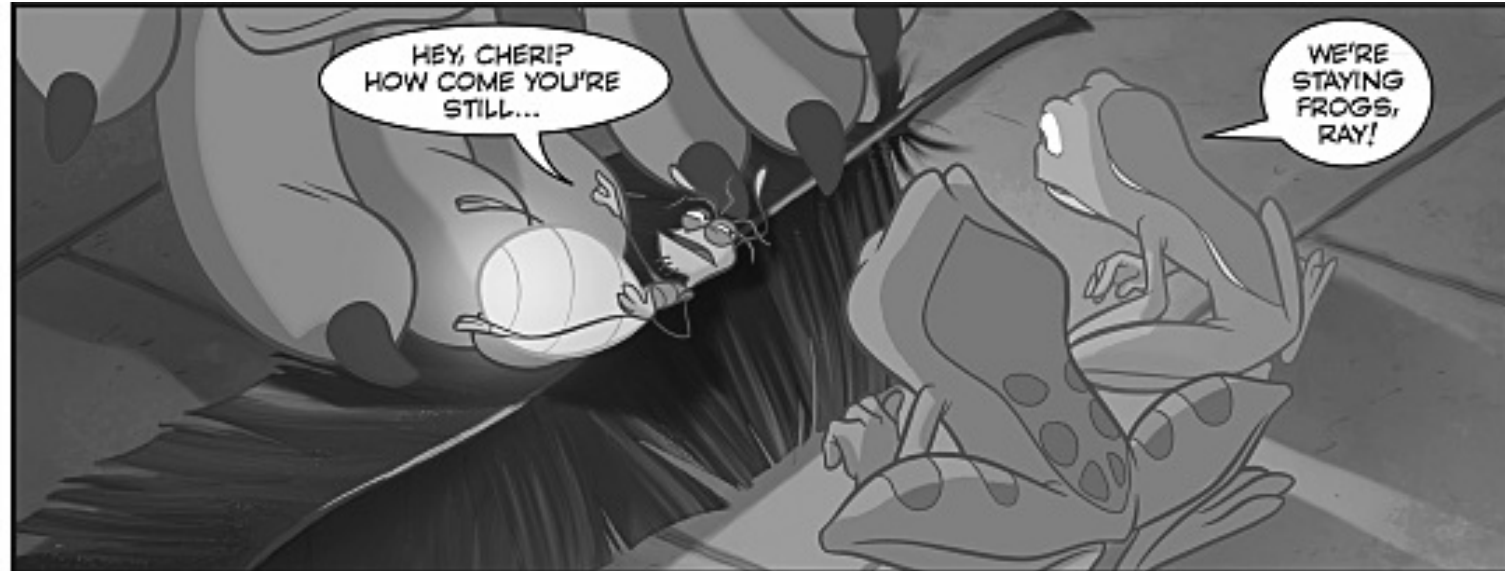














FINALLY, TIANA AND
NAVEEN ARE GOING
TO MARRY...



... AND SO, BY
THE POWER VESTED IN ME...
I NOW PRONOUNCE YOU
FROG AND WIFE!



... AND **KISS** FOR
THE FIRST TIME!



POOF!



LIKE I TOLD YOU...
KISSING A PRINCESS
BREAKS THE SPELL!



ONCE YOU
BECAME MY WIFE... THAT
MADE YOU...



A PRINCESS!
YOU JUST KISSED
YOURSELF A
PRINCESS!

AND I'M
ABOUT TO DO IT
AGAIN...



IN THE
CATHEDRAL!



FROM THAT DAY ON,
THINGS GET BETTER
AND BETTER.

TIANA'S DREAM
COMES TRUE. SHE
FINALLY OWNS
HER BEAUTIFUL,
WELCOMING
RESTAURANT!

EUDORA IS THE HAPPIEST
MOTHER, BECAUSE TIANA'S
THE HAPPIEST DAUGHTER...

LOUIS IS JUMPING
AND JIVING ALL DAY
AND ALL NIGHT LONG!

AND RAY?

OH, RAY'S REALLY HAPPY...



BECAUSE NOW
HE'S NEXT TO HIS
EVANGELINE...



... SHINING
SIDE BY SIDE!

AND TIANA AND NAVEEN
LIVED HAPPILY EVER
AFTER!



The End